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IMPLEMENTATION OF RULES 50 AND 51 OF THE REVISED RULES OF PROCEDURE AS CONTAINED IN DOCUMENT E/ICEF/1994/L.18

Draft proposal by the Chairman of the Open-ended Working Group on the Rules of Procedure

The Chairman of the Open-ended Working Group on the Rules of Procedure recommends that the Executive Board adopt the following decision in conjunction with the draft decision contained in document E/ICEF/1994/L.18 as the first substantive agenda item after the adoption of the agenda at the second regular session of 1994:

The Executive Board

1. Decides that, in the implementation of rules 50 and 51 of the revised rules of procedure:

(a) States and other participants, as defined in rules 50 and 51 of the rules of procedure, wishing to participate in its deliberations should communicate their special interest to the secretariat of the Executive Board, normally prior to the Board session. Credentials shall be presented in accordance with the rules of procedure. The secretariat of the Board will inform the Board on the communications received. If the Board revises the

* It was envisaged that the rules of procedure would be discussed during the annual session as reflected in the annotated provisional agenda (E/ICEF/1994/1). However, the Open-ended Working Group on the Rules of Procedure has made a recommendation to take up this item during the second regular session.

agenda during a session, in accordance with rule 8, any State or participant can indicate its special interest in participating in the deliberations on the new item(s);

(b) Unless the Board decides otherwise, States that have communicated their special interest will be able to participate in the deliberations on one or more of the items under consideration;

(c) Unless the Board decides otherwise, other participants that have communicated their special interest will be able to attend its meetings. They may submit written statements on matters within their competence that are relevant to the work of the Board, provided that statements by non-governmental organizations shall be submitted in conformity with the Economic and Social Council resolutions applicable to them or with the approval of the Board. They may be called upon to address the Board, as appropriate, in a coordinated manner, by arrangement with its President;

2. Further decides that the text of the present decision should be reflected in an annex to the revised rules of procedure.